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## EVENTS OF ELIOT

### Democratic Ticket for Town Officers

### Town Debt Is Almost Ten Thousand Dollars

### Alonzo Rowe's Barn Was Destroyed by the High Wind

Eliot, Me., March 13. The ninety-eighth annual town report shows last year's tax assessment to have been \$16,503.20. The amount paid for town officers was \$608.65, gathering brown tail moths, \$49.50, support of poor \$1,001.95, roads and bridges, \$1,547.43, state road \$552.35, school books \$269.55, schoolhouse fuel and janitors \$403.75, high school, \$1,038.27, teaching common schools, \$1,926.00, abatements \$198.20, contingent expenses \$268.73, state tax, \$1,667.05, county tax \$644.61, interest \$3,085.74, dog tax to state \$32.00, total, \$14,074.16. The receipts were \$16,317.79, including \$669.26 cash in treasury at beginning of year and the year ended with \$2,243.63 cash in treasury. The liabilities are \$9,855.00 in notes and \$120.01 in unpaid orders. The assets are \$3,600.00 of which \$2,243.63 is cash in treasury and \$268.50 is due from the state and the rest are uncollected taxes.

The marriages recorded in town were seven, the births thirty-five and the deaths twenty.

Superintendent Aaron B. Cole in his school report recommends collecting the scholars from Nos. 1, 3 and 4 in a graded school at Rosemary Junction, the establishment of graded schools at Nos. 6, 7 and 8 with another teacher and a division of the primary room at No. 7. He also predicts an epidemic some day at No. 5 and considers the building a menace to every scholar who attends it. He estimates the cost of music teaching at \$250 if the town decides to undertake the work.

The Democratic caucus at Town hall on Friday evening nominated Calvin H. Staples for moderator, Wilmont E. Spinney for town clerk, William P. Fernald, Leroy Hill and Alfred Spinney for selectmen, Moses E. Goodwin for treasurer, William A. Shapleigh for road commissioner in the northern part of the town, Elbridge E. Godwin for road commissioner in the middle of the town, Harris E. Spinney for South Eliot road commissioner, G. W. Brown, for auditor, Maynard Knight for constable, James A. Coleman for member of school committee, Maynard Knight for truant officer and Maurice S. Leach for collector. Party lines were not drawn on several of the nominations. There were two lively contests for road commissioner nominations, Cyrus Hooper being a candidate from the northern part of the town, and Roy F. Staples from South Eliot. Wilmont E. Spinney was chairman and William P. Fernald secretary of the caucus. A goodly number attended.

Rev. Alexander Dixon of Newburyport will conduct the Sunday services at the Adventist church.

When the 6.50 car was passing over Spinney's creek bridge this morning the passengers were treated to the pretty sight of three deer calmly grazing in the orchard on the southeast shore of the creek.

The high wind of Thursday blew down Alonzo Rowe's barn on the Beach road. This is the only damage of the kind in town in more than a year.

Mayor E. F. Hanson of Somersworth was in Eliot on Friday.

### Death of Solomon Staples

Solomon Staples, owner of one of the largest farms in town, situated near the crossing of the Farmer road and the Boston and Maine railroad, died this morning at the age of eighty-three years. He was formerly a very active man, but feeble health had prevented him doing much for a long time. His wife has been dead some years. His son, Harry Staples, has lived on the place with his father.

### BIG DERRICK HERE

### Reading for Putting New Draw in the Big River Bridge

The big steam derrick of the Boston Bridge works arrived here today and will be used tomorrow to put on the new draw of the Portsmouth and Kittery bridge, the tower of which will be put in place today.

## KITTERY LETTER

### A Family Moving to San Francisco

### Funeral of Rev. George C. Andrews

### Wentworth School Scholars Have a Party

### Programs for the Sunday Services in the Churches

Kittery, Me., March 13. All three of the grades at the Wentworth school held a party on Friday afternoon at the close of the school term. Ice cream, cake, candy and fancy crackers were served and a general good time enjoyed by all. The many friends of Mrs. Waldo W. Ladd will be pleased to know that she is improving rapidly from her surgical operation and is able to be about the house.

The following is the order of services tomorrow at the Second Christian church: Preaching at 10.30 a. m. by the pastor, Rev. Edward H. Macy, subject of sermon, "Ready for Harvest." A second offering will be taken at this service for foreign missions. Session of the Bible school at 12 m. At three o'clock the Junior League will meet in the vestry, led by Miss Estella Kramer. The six o'clock service of the Christian Endeavor Society will be led by Mr. Frank E. Donnell, subject, "What Are Our Liquor Laws and How Are They Enforced." At the seven o'clock service the pastor will take for the subject of his sermon, "The Great Question."

Riverside Lodge of Odd Fellows will hold their regular meeting Monday evening in Odd Fellows' Hall.

Mrs. Ida Marshall of York is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Ned Paul, for a few days.

A goodly number of Odd Fellows went to South Berwick on Friday evening to attend the district meeting in a special car and left for home at midnight, after a most enjoyable evening.

Mr. Charles Hussey of the Intervene has been in Boston for a few days.

The services of Sunday at the Second Methodist church will be in the following order: At 10.30 a. m. preaching by the pastor, Rev. Daniel Onstott; subject of sermon, "The Incurable Crown." Sunday school at 12. At the five o'clock vesper service the pastor will have for the subject of his sermon "The Battle of Life." Arthur Lane of this town will sing at this service. At six o'clock the Epworth League will meet.

The funeral services of the late Mrs. Altha S. Leach were held yesterday afternoon from the Second Methodist church, Rev. Daniel Onstott officiating. Burial was in

South Eliot under the direction of Undertaker Nickerson. A quartet consisting of Mrs. Percy Rogers, Miss Millie Damon, Mr. George Mament and Rev. Edward H. Macy rendered two selections.

There was a large attendance on Thursday evening at the Second Christian church when the Choral Society held its second rehearsal. Great interest is being manifested and new members are constantly joining. All lovers of music are certainly enjoying the practice and hope to give a first class cantata in about three months.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Packard of Manson avenue have recently been visiting in Dover.

The funeral of the late Rev. George C. Andrews, who died at Auburn on Thursday, was held in Saco this afternoon at the School Street Methodist church. Mr. Andrews was a former pastor of the Second Kittery Methodist church, was three years presiding elder in the Augusta district. His health gave out while he was occupying the Saco pastorate fifteen years ago, and he retired from the ministry for a time and took up farming, living on a farm known as the Hight place, on the Buxton road. He also went into life insurance to a considerable extent, having had experience in that line of work before entering the ministry. He had been secretary of the Maine Methodist Conference since 1899. Mr. Andrews was aged sixty-six and is survived by his wife and three children. One son is principal of Westbrook high school and another a minister in Munson, Mass.

### Kittery Point

The United States revenue cutter Androscoggin arrived in the harbor Friday night.

Mrs. George S. Whitman and her father, Porter Emery, will leave here next Wednesday for San Francisco. Mr. Whitman is in the government service there and the family will locate in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Goodwin will leave in a few days for a trip to New York and East Orange, N. J., for about two weeks.

Mrs. Annie Grace Fernald returned today from Portland where she was operated upon at the Maine General Hospital about three weeks ago. Her many friends hope for her speedy recovery.

Justin Sawyer is confined to his home with a broken ankle.

Miss Marion Bartlett, principal of the Horace Mitchell school, went this morning to her home at South Thomaston for a vacation of two weeks.

The 261st annual town meeting will be held on March 29.

## RECORDS OF RYE

### Grange Has Lecture on "The Call of the Soil"

### Birth of a Son Brings Joy into the Parsonage

Rye, March 12. The lecture given by Rev. J. Franklin Babb of Laconia in the Town hall on Thursday evening under the auspices of Rye Grange was one of the best lectures ever listened to in this town. Mr. Babb is one of the best known speakers of the state and his lecture on "The Call of the Soil" was listened to by a large and enthusiastic audience.

At the regular meeting of Rye Grange on Friday evening the following programme was given:

An impersonated recitation, Leon W. Goss.

Piano solo, Miss Mabel Small. Reading, Wilmont Smart.

Charades, "Members of Grange." The programme was provided by the master, overseer and steward, who also served refreshments to those present.

Willard Drake of Boston is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Drake.

Jesse Walker, who was severely injured by a fall last week, while gathering brown tail moths at Wells, Me., is reported as somewhat improved.

The Neighborhood Whist club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Parsons this evening.

The Crescent club meets this afternoon with Miss Ardelle Marston at West Rye.

Mrs. Jedediah Rand is confined to

## MARKET STREET TROLLEY LINE

### Under Consideration for Part of a Water Margin Railroad

The matter of a spur track along the water front, which is being agitated by the Portsmouth Harbor Improvement Association, is causing no small amount of interest by the firms doing business along the river. It is the opinion of many of those interested, and of local railroad officials, that if we had some ship-building at Petree Island or some other business located there, there would be no question about the track being put in.

The matter of getting by Church Hill point would make the plan expensive.

Another way of getting along the water front to the South End has been suggested and one that would not in any way interfere with the

water front, that is to use the electric street line through Market street with a spur track beginning at the corner of Bow street, extending through Bow to the foot of Daniel street, then along the water front to Petree Island or New Castle if necessary.

There is no doubt that the railroad would increase its freight business to a great extent and could add an electric engine to the local street railway for motive power.

It is understood that there are other plans in the hands of the railroad company relative to this line and that one or the other of them will some day be carried out in the way of improving the water front of this city, something which should have developed long before now.

## LOVING CUP FOR R. J. SIMPSON

### For Taking At Portsmouth Navy Yard First Message from the Fleet

Today Robert J. Simpson, chief wireless operator at the Seavey's Island station, received a handsome loving cup for his services and honor in receiving the first wireless message from the fleet on its return from the world cruise at a distance of 2500 miles. The handsome cup was the gift of the New York Wireless Specialty Apparatus Company of New York. This company is the manufacturer of a new receiver or the Perikon Detector, which is on trial at this station and with which Operator Simpson picked up the message. The cup is an exact reproduction of urban metal discovered in the catacombs of Rome and

bears the following inscription: "Presented by the New York Wireless Specialty Apparatus Company to Chief Operator Robert J. Simpson for receiving the first message from the world's cruising fleet at a distance of 2500 miles, in which he used the Perikon Detector." Operator Simpson is highly pleased with the gift which he receives with the approval of the navy department. Regardless of the fact that other stations have taken the credit for receiving the first message Operator Simpson had been taking messages and forwarding them to Washington long before the other stations had picked up a thing from the ships.

her home by illness. Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Foxwick are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby boy, born at their home on Friday evening.

## BRITISH NAVY

### Won't Have but Four New Battleships Begun This Year

London, March 13.—The naval crisis in the Cabinet has been terminated by a compromise by which four dreadnaughts are to be built immediately and full power taken to construct four more in October. The controversy is thus terminated between the partisans of six and the partisans of four ships. England has narrowly escaped a disastrous naval panic. The Germans last year laid down 8 Dreadnaughts instead of the four prescribed by their programme, and unless eight are laid down by Britain this year British naval supremacy will disappear—not merely the two power, but even the one power standard.

A further reason for the panic was the discovery that the Germans cornered all the nickel in the market, and without nickel no armor plate steel can be hardened.

Then again the British were bested by the Germans in the supply of heavy gun mountings, all the available machinery for turning out these mountings being snapped up by Germany. Finally Britain has only ships for building eight Dreadnaughts whereas Germany has nineteen.

The danger panic was allayed by the eight Dreadnaught programme because the deferring of the laying down the second four leaves the admiralty a free hand to make immediate preparations for constructing building ships and hurrying the construction of gun mountings.

One of the nine o'clock club auxiliary has been making quiet a hit as an amateur actor. He is soon to take part in the drama "Lost in Rye."

## COAL STRIKE THREATENED

Philadelphia, March 13.—Defying the anthracite operators, the sub-committee of miners rejected their counter proposition to renew the present working agreement for three years, and it now seems almost positive that there will be a suspension of work in the anthracite fields on April 1.

The miners themselves believe so, and that the operators are of the same opinion is shown by the orders of the Reading company in countermanding an order to close its collieries, which was to have taken effect today.

All its mines are working full time, in order, it is supposed, to have a large amount on hand in case a suspension of operations comes. "The miners will not yield one jot in their demands," was the statement made by Thomas L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers of America. "We will not qualify one of our demands."

## U. S. WEATHER PREDICTION

Saturday night and Sunday—Unsettled weather with more or less cloudiness and occasional rains.

### OBITUARY

Solomon Staples Died in Eliot March 13. Solomon Staples, aged 83 years.

Funeral services will be held at the home, Beach road, Tuesday afternoon, at two o'clock.

### ACKNOWLEDGMENT

The directors of Chase' Home for Children gratefully acknowledge the receipt of \$33.47 from the North Congregational church.

AVIS G. AMES, Treasurer Current Expenses.

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FINE CHIFFON BATISTE WAISTS—Long sleeves rows of fine tucking, yoke effect, lace insertion at \$3.50  
TAILOR MADE WHITE LINEN WAISTS—Plain and Embroidered \$2.25 \$2.50 \$2.95 \$3.95 & \$5.00

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STRIPED MADRAS WAISTS—All the latest colorings, tucked, link cuffs \$1.50 & \$2.25  
IMPORTED WHITE CRAPE WAISTS—long sleeves, yoke of lace insertion, latest novelty \$5. ea  
PONGEE WAISTS—Plain tailored, stiff collar and fancy tie \$5.00  
PLAIN WHITE NET WAISTS—five rows of insertion long sleeves, very dressy and stylish \$7.95  
WHITE CHIFFON TAFFETA—Taupe stripe trimmed with soutache braid and buttons \$5.50  
WHITE WITH BLACK STRIPE SILK WAISTS—trimmed with Reseda Satin \$7.50  
LOUISINE SILK WAIST—Copenhagen with white stripe, side plaiting and pearl buttons... \$8.50

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# MAGNESS IS STILL A PRISONER

HAS NOT BEEN RELEASED FROM  
PRISON SHIP SOUTHERY, AND  
NOT WITH WIFE IN CANADA—  
DOING WORK WITH OTHER  
PRISONERS ABOUT SHIP AND  
YARD.

A story appeared in the New York papers on Friday to the effect that Charles H. Magness, the musician in the marine band who deserted to marry the daughter of former senator Gorman of Maryland, had been released from the prison ship Southern at this yard, where he is under a year's sentence, and was in Canada with his wife.

This is denied at the navy yard and while no comment would be made on the story, it was given out that he was still on the Southern and had not been released.

Magness is being treated like the other prisoners and he does his share of the work about the ship and the navy yard. As far as known he has not attempted to get a pardon from the President or has his wife visited him since he has been in the ship, although he frequently hears from her.

He has been at the prison ship but a few months and has several more to serve a part of which will be cut off if his behavior is good.

## SEAPORTS OF EUROPE

And the Lessons They Teach of How to Develop a Harbor

### NO. 12, ROTTERDAM, HOLLAND

Rotterdam is the chief port and the second city of Holland. It is situated on the Meuse river at its junction with the Rott, about eighteen miles from the North Sea, with which it is directly connected by a ship canal which admits large vessels without the necessity of passing through a single lock.

The town is intersected by numerous smaller canals which permit vessels to moor alongside the warehouses of the city.

These canals, which are crossed by numerous bridges, are in many cases lined with beautiful trees. One of these handsome quays on the river front, which is a mile and one quarter long, is lined with a row of immense elms, which were planted in 1615. Many of the houses are of great age, having their gables and roofs with overhanging eaves. The public buildings are more modern, with other large cities of continental Europe.

Rotterdam contains the government dockyards and arsenal, many shipbuilding yards, sugar refineries, distilleries, tobacco factories, and large machine works, for the production of its commerce.

It not only carries on an extensive and active trade with Great Britain, the French coast and West Indies, and other transatlantic countries, but is the principal outlet for the entire trade of the Rhine and Meuse, and has a large and important commerce with Germany, Scandinavia and Russia.

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necting the water front of the city with the main lines of railways. This line is owned and operated by the city.

There are 120 lines of steamboats and 300 lines of sailing vessels calling regularly at Rotterdam.

The city is growing rapidly and sharing the trade of northwestern Europe with Hamburg and Antwerp.

This rapid growth is plainly recognized as being due to the development of the port.

The officials of Portsmouth would do well to profit by the example of people of Rotterdam.

A general plan for the improvement of the harbor of Portsmouth would be as much justified as the development of the city engineer.

A magnificent railway extending to Plover's Island should be built and, if properly laid out, would be well patronized from the harbor.

If the Boston and Maine railroad does not care to build such a line then the city of Portsmouth would be as much justified in developing the harbor to build it, as it was in 1873 when it raised \$250,000 to aid in constructing the Portsmouth and Dover railroad. The line could then be leased to the Boston and Maine railroad.

In the year 1829 Portsmouth had a population of 12,000 and 145 vessels called at the port.

In the year 1850 Rotterdam had a population of 95,000. Now it has over 100,000. And in seventeen years from 1850 to 1907 the tonnage of vessels entering the port increased from 2,918,425 to 19,375,500.

ERNEST HOLMES.

### NORTH HAMPTON

The next meeting of the grange will be on Tuesday night, March 15. Deputy C. H. Brackett, of Greenland, will be present for inspection.

The program will be: Vocal solo, by Mrs. J. Russell Dow; reading, grange paper, by Arthur E. Seavey; vocal solo, Fred C. Leavitt; piano solo, Miss Clara E. Jeness; discussion—To what extent is it profitable to purchase and use machinery on the farm, opened by S. H. Leavitt, E. Bloomer, J. Jewell, Fred L. Shaw and George D. Brown.

Fourteen deaths, one birth and nine marriages were registered in North Hampton during 1908.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society and Cent Union held a meeting in the vestry of the Congregational church Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. William E. McFadden is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Cutler, in Wakefield, Mass.

Mr. Charles Chevalier and wife, daughter, Elizabeth, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Chevalier.

Mrs. Fred Quimby has been ill with pleurisy.

Mrs. A. W. Bartlett, of Southbury, Mass., has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. George E. Seavey.

The Progressive club will hold its March meeting at the home of Mrs. Arthur E. Seavey on the afternoon of Thursday, March 18.

### NAVY ORDERS

Lieutenant R. W. McNeely, the Louisiana to home and wait orders.

Lieutenant E. A. Long, order to Annapolis revoked, continue duty on the Connecticut.

Ensign L. Chesep, the Kearsarge to be placed on duty for instruction.

Ensign H. A. Orr, the Missouri to be placed on duty for instruction.

Assistant Surgeon R. C. Randall, the Palace to the Texas.

Amirid—Solace at San Juan, Gibraltar at San Jose de Guadalupe.

Sailed—Tromsø and Rothes, Norfolk for Washington; Des Moines, Guantanamo for New Orleans; Haman, Norfolk for Charleston; Stocking, Guantanamo for Colon; Galloway, Norfolk and Niagara, Maine Island for San Diego.

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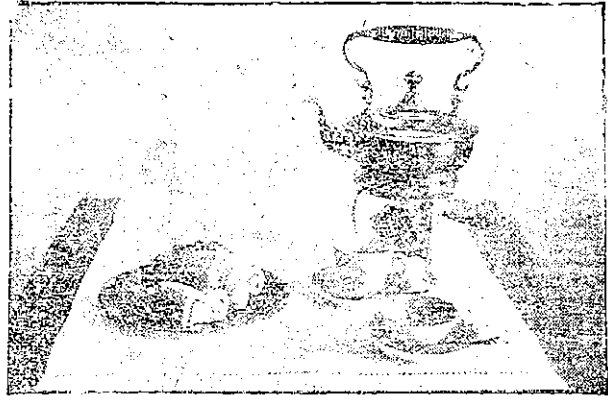
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## Good Things To Eat



### ROLLED SANDWICHES.

Bread which is to be rolled is best when mixed with water and but little shortening is added. When the loaf is taken from the oven wrap it in several thicknesses of cloth, when cool cut in thick slices, spread with butter, jelly or any seasoned meat, poultry or fish. For afternoon tea or children's parties these rolls are a most useful and useful treat.

The secret of having sandwiches rolled perfectly lies in spreading the bread in the cloth and in using it fresh, stale bread cannot be rolled as it is neither moist nor elastic.

For water bread use a cup of boiling water, one-half a level tablespoon of lard, one level tablespoon of sugar and one and one-half level teaspoons of salt. When this has cooled add one-quarter of a yeast cake dissolved in one-quarter cup of lukewarm water and mix in one and one-half cups of flour. Let the loaf rise over night and in the morning cut down and knead and shape into two loaves, which rise in twice their size they are ready to bake.

Bread which is not to be rolled should never be wrapped in a cloth but will have a better flavor and keep longer if cooled on a wire rack in a draught of air.

## WITH THE THEATRICAL FOLK

"The Wolf" Next Friday

"The Wolf" with a noteworthy run in the Lyric theatre, New York to its credit, will make a return engagement in Portsmouth Music Hall next Friday.

This romance of the simple woodsman of the Hudson Bay country, holds its audience closely to the end, and begins with a touch that proves this young author to have a remarkable instinct for dramatic effect.

As the first curtain rises, two men are discovered seated before a cabin in the Canadian woods. Neither speaks. Then the silence is broken by one of them remarks "And ye say she died most?" The other makes no reply. Again an interval of silence that gets on the nerves of the speaker. He rises, moves restlessly to the rear and looks aimlessly across the valley, then comes back and repeats the question.

After a suspense of waiting that tingles one's attention, six words spring out of the silence, charged with a suggestion of tremendous import, a tragedy in the past and its approaching consequence.

Meanwhile, what an atmosphere has been created of solitude and silence amid the vastness of nature; what a suggestion of passions slowly burning themselves out for lack of fuel.

Footlight Flashes

Julia Matthews never acted a better part with more courage and spirit than she did in saving the life of her secretary, Miss Elizabeth McCracken, in the actress's statements on the sixteenth floor of the Hotel Plaza on Thursday. The footlights of this real-life drama were dimmed. There was no audience to applaud the heroine. Miss McCracken's clothes caught fire and Mrs. Matthews risked her own life in saving her.

The much work has finally done for George M. Tatham, the "Yankee" publisher, and his wife. The work was collected under the strain of a campaign, playing constant elections and the writing of endowments. He is an Atlantic City and a New York City man, and he is a New York City man.

He was starting in the "Yankee" when the wife came to him.

Bridgeport, Conn. He is accompanied by his wife, the former Miss Agnes Nolan of Boston, and her sister, Mrs. Sam Harris, wife of Co. C's partner and manager.

W. F. Mann will put out "The Show Girl" next season and according to B. C. Whitney, no one else has the right to use the title. Mr. Whitney acquired the show from E. H. Rice, and in turn passed the rights to Mr. Mann.

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## CLUB BOWLING LEAGUE FORMED

FIRST GAMES IN THE LEAGUE  
WILL BE PLAYED NEXT  
WEEK—SIX CLUBS ENTERED.

The Club bowling tournament will be started at the Elks bowling alleys on Tuesday of next week and three matches will be played every week until the required number of games are played. Each team will play two matches with the other teams making ten games in all and the prize will be a silver loving cup to be presented by the Lodge of Elks.

The entries are the Warwick club, Country club, Portsmouth Athletic Club, Portsmouth Catholic Union, the Portsmouth Yacht club and the Elks.

The following is the schedule for the first round:

Tues. Mar. 16 Catholic Union vs Elks.

Wed. Mar. 17 Country club vs Warwick club.

Thurs. Mar. 18 P. A. C. vs P. Y. C.

Tues. Mar. 23 Country club vs Catholic Union.

Wed. Mar. 24 Warwick club vs P. A. C.

Thurs. Mar. 25 Elks vs P. Y. C.

Wed. Mar. 31 Elks vs Warwick club.

Thurs. April 1 P. Y. C. vs Catholic Union.

Tues. April 6 Warwick club vs Catholic Union.

Wed. Apr. 7 Country club vs P. Y. C.

Thurs. Apr. 8 Elks vs P. A. C.

Tues. Apr. 13 Country club vs Elks.

Wed. Apr. 14 Warwick club vs P. Y. C.

Thurs. Apr. 15 P. A. C. vs Catholic Union.

The captains of the teams are John Mitchell for the P. A. C., C. W. Bass for the Country Club, T. F. Flanagan for the Warwick club, R. J. Boyd for the Yacht club, R. A. Kirvan for the Catholic Union and Jerry Lyons for the Elks.

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ROBERT OLIVER BAILEY

Former Portsmouth Sejourner Has Important Post at Washington

Announcement is made from Washington that Robert Oliver Bailey of the Washington office of the Associated Press had been appointed private secretary to Franklin MacVeagh, the new secretary of the treasury.

Mr. Bailey was born in Lond, U. S. in 1878, and has been engaged in newspaper work in Washington since 1897. He was with Mr. Taft as an Associated Press correspondent from the time of Mr. Taft's nomination for the presidency until his inauguration. He accompanied ex-President Roosevelt on several of the tours made by Mr. Roosevelt, and was stationed at Orster Bay while Mr. Roosevelt was there.

Mr. Bailey was a member of the Associated Press staff at Portsmouth during the Peace Conference and won a large circle of friends here. He is one of the brightest young men in the newspaper profession.

WANT THE POLICE CHANGED

The Newburyport board of aldermen say the police of that city shall be changed from night to day duty every month. The mayor, however, says no.

The matter is now before the Massachusetts civil service commission.

A NEW RESTAURANT

When you are hungry and want a good meal at a reasonable price call at No. 101 Market street, where Frank Barone is conducting a new restaurant and serving steaks, chops and other fancy dishes. Open from 6 a. m. to 11 p. m.

## FREE STOCK!

To the first 25 subscribers of the new and coming two issues and addresses people who would be likely to buy 25 or upwards of mining stock, we will send certificate of five shares of unencumbered, fully paid stock in a mining company. For \$5. To receive this full information regarding this proposition, J. H. DEAN, BORN & CO., 151 Summer St., Boston, Mass.

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I want to send you a complete ten day's treatment entirely free to prove to you that you can cure yourself at home, easily, quickly and surely. Remember, that it will cost you nothing to give the doctor a try. I will send you only about 10 cents a week, or less than two cents a day. It will not interfere with your work or occupation. Just send me your name and address, tell me how you suffer if you wish, and I will send you the treatment for you, case entirely free in plain wrapper, by return mail. I will also send you free of cost, my book—WOMAN'S OWN MEDICAL ADVICE—with explanatory illustrations showing why women suffer, and how they can easily cure themselves at home. Every woman should have it, and learn to think for herself. Then when the doctor says—You must have an operation! you can decide for yourself. Thousands of women have cured themselves with my home remedy. It cures all, old or young. To Mothers of Daughters, I will explain a simple home treatment which promptly and effectively cures Leucorrhoea, Green Discharge and Painful or Irregular Menstruation in Young Girls. Plumpness and health always result from its use.

Wherever you live, I can refer you to fellow sufferers near you, healthy who know and will gladly tell you, sufferer that this Home Treatment really cures all women's diseases, and makes women well, strong, plump and robust. Just send me your address, and this free ten day's treatment is yours, absolutely free. Write today, as you may not see this offer again. Address: MRS. M. SUMMERS, Box 8. Note Omeo, Ind., U. S. A.

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ARE TO CONVENE

**a Decision on a Foul**  
ans, March 13.—Marvin  
decision on a foul in the  
pound of a twenty round

a ten round bout here last night. It was a tame exhibition and the big crowd was disappointed, for the men were slow and many of their blows

that milder weather will stimulate spring sales, but general trade continues quiet. Conditions are better in the west than in the east, but everywhere still lacks the desired anim-

near Miller's Falls but, according to the railroad officials, no one was injured, though the wreck blocked both the main lines and all traffic was held

**The Weather**  
 Almanac, Sunday, March 14.  
 Sun rises—5:38; sets—5:49.  
 Moon rises—12:26 a. m.  
 High Water—4:15 a. m.; 4:30 p. m.  
 There will be rain or snow in New

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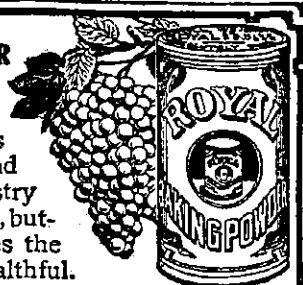
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## BAKING POWDER



## IN THE CHURCHES

### Methodist Church.

Rev. George W. Farmer, pastor. Preaching at 10.30; subject, "The Illumination of the Spirit." Sunday school at 12. Epworth League devotional meeting at 6.30.

Alexander song service with choir and congregation at 7.30. Short gospel talk by pastor on "The Divine Care."

Junior League meeting each Sunday morning at 12.30.

### Christian Science Society

Services at Conservatory Hall, No. 2 Market street. Regular Sunday morning service at 10.45; subject for March 14, "Substance."

Sunday School at 11.50. Testimonial service every Wednesday evening at 7.45. A free reading room is maintained at the same address where a welcome is offered to the public and authorized literature concerning Christian Science may there be read or purchased if desired. Open daily except Sunday from 2 to 4 p. m.

### Universalist Church

Sermon at 10.30 a. m.; subject, "For or With God, St. John 10.13, 1 Corinthians 3.9.

Sunday school at 12 m., with rehearsal of Easter music.

Social meeting of Young People's Christian Union, 6.30 p. m., subject, "The Spiritual Authority and Leadership of Jesus Christ," Matthew 7:15-29.

### North Church.

Morning worship with preaching by the pastor at half past ten o'clock. Vesper service at five o'clock.

The pastor will give the third in a series of addresses on the general theme "The Religious Uses of the Auster," speaking on "Doubt."

Sunday school in the chapel at noon. Young People meeting in the Parish house at ten minutes past six.

### Middle Street Baptist Church

Middle street Baptist church. Morning worship at 10.30 Sunday school at noon in the chapel. The men's class meets in the annex. Evening service at 7.30. The pastor will speak on "Some thoughts suggested by the Cruise of the Fleet."

There will be a business meeting of the Young Men's Guild, Monday evening at 7.30.

Young People's meeting on Tuesday evening at 7.45. Church prayer meeting Friday evening at 7.45, topic, "Ways in which we have been helped."

### Court St. Christian Church

At the morning worship at 10.30 the pastor will speak on two incidents in the life of the Master as touching the life of the church of today.

At this service the offering for foreign missions will be received in connection with the regular offering.

Sunday school at 11.45 a. m. Christian Endeavor in the vestry at 6.30 p. m.

"A story telling journey" will be the theme of the service at 7.30 in the evening.

### St. John's Music.

Venile Gloria Patria Osborn Benedicite Clemens Benedicite Osborn Hymn Gloria Tibi Costa Hymn Offertory "Come Unto Me Ye Weary." Brackett Holy Communion

### Sanctus Eucharistic Hymn

Gloria in Excelsis Jackson Nunc Dimittis Codman

### Pearl Street Church

Preaching at 10.30 by Rev. J. W. Scribner; subject of sermon, "The Value of the Soul." Sunday school at 12.00. Gospel service with short sermon at 7.30.

### Advent Christian Church.

10.30 a. m. prayer and testimony. 12.00 m. Sunday school. 2.30 p. m., subject of sermon, 2 Tim. 3: 1-5. 6.00 p. m. Young People's meeting. 7.15 p. m. Service of song followed by sermon on The attitude of Christ toward four classes of men.

### Unitarian Church.

Regular service at 10.30 a. m. Sunday school at chapel on Court street at 12 o'clock.

The choir will render the following musical program. The Lord is My Rock Woodward In Thee O Lord Ivey O Lord Thou Art My God Buck

### Christ Church

Third Sunday in Lent. Services at 7.30 and 10.30 a. m.; Cathedra 12 m.; Evensong with the Reproaches at 7.30 p. m.

Music at 10.30 a. m. Processional, No. 421, "Lead Us, Heavenly Father," Hayden Kyrie Merbecke Gloria, Gratias Merbecke Credo Merbecke

Offertory, No. 81, "Christian, Dost Thou See Them," Dykes Sanctus Merbecke Benedictus Merbecke Agnus Dei Merbecke

Communion, No. 227, "O Saving Victim," Uglow Gloria in Excelsis Merbecke Post Communion, No. 88, "Lord in This Thy Mercy's Day," Monk

Processional, No. 82, "Weary of Earth and Laden with My Sin," Laugran

Music at 7.30 p. m. Processional, No. 79, "Forty Days and Forty Nights," Heinlein Versicles and Responses Ely use Psalter for the day Gregorian Magnificat Parisian Tone

Nunc Dimittis Tonus Regius Hymn, No. 423, "How Sweet the Name of Jesus Sounds," Reinagle Hymn, No. 338, "Rock of Ages, Cleft for Me," Rehead

The Reproaches: Processional, No. 599, "Hark! My Soul! It is the Lord," Dykes

The rector will give the Lenten instruction at the Holy Eucharist, 10.30 a. m.; and preach at Evensong, 7.30 p. m.

Services and meetings for the week: Monday—Evensong 5 p. m., Men's society, 7.30 p. m.

Tuesday—Evensong, 4 p. m., Women's Auxiliary 7.30 p. m.

Wednesday—Children's service, 4.15 p. m., lecture 7.30 p. m.

Thursday—Holy Communion 7.30 a. m.; Evensong 5 p. m.

Friday—Holy Communion 7.30 a. m., Litany 12 m., Evensong 5 p. m., choir rehearsal 7.30 p. m.

Saturday—Evensong 5 p. m. The Right Reverend Robert Codman, D. D., Bishop of Maine, will give an address at 4 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon.

The Rector will lecture on "Reunion, Anglican and Eastern-Orthodox" at 7.30 o'clock on Wednesday evening.

### People's Church

Preaching at 11 a. m. Sunday school, 12. Christian Endeavor Society, 7.30 p. m.

Preaching at 8 p. m. by Rev. William Tillman of Boston.

There was a big liberty party on shore last evening.

## FROM EXETER

### Big Year's Work in Public Library

### A Police Commissioner Is Reappointed

Exeter, March 13.

Charles Gale Sheed of Exeter will make his official visit as a representative of the Grand Royal and Chapter of Masons of New Hampshire next Wednesday night. Special work will be transacted then by St. Albans' Royal Chapter of this town, on the occasion.

Mrs. A. B. Scales of Ash street is visiting her son, George L. Scales at Johnstown, Pa. A son was recently born to Mr. and Mrs. George L. Scales at their home there.

The annual report of the public library has, for this year, been published, and shows it to be in a solid standing. The total number of books, excluding the Perry collection, numbers 15,131. The total number of books given out was 30,622, classified as follows: Fiction, 17,719; juvenile department, 6,110; historical, scientific and general literary subjects, 6,093. New books added, 344, 227 of these being credited to the Merrill fund. The librarian at present is Miss Grace Button, who succeeded Miss Adelaide Smith on Jan. 1 of this year. As the present collection of books and magazines more than cover the shelves of the library, and more are being constantly added, it is evident that some provisions must be made for more room, and according to a resolution placed before the annual town meeting of this week, it is possible that an addition to the building will soon be made. The committee chosen to attend to the matter was John Templeton, John N. Thompson, Albert N. Dow and Clarence Gatchell, while a fifth member is to be appointed by the selectmen.

Rev. Edward Green of the Unitarian church will exchange pulpits on Sunday with Rev. H. C. McDougal of Franklin.

The Beneficial Society met with Miss Elizabeth Brewster on Pleasant street Friday afternoon.

Governor Quincy has reappointed W. H. C. Follansby a member of the local board of police commissioners.

Miss Helen Mason has arrived home from a long visit with friends and relatives in Washington and Philadelphia.

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## DANCING CLASS

### GIVE EXHIBITION

PUPILS OF MISS GLADYS SEAVEY

AT KITTERY HAVE A VERY PLEASING EXHIBITION AND DANCE.

The pupils of Miss Gladys Seavey's dancing class at Kittery, gave a very pretty exhibition and dance at Wentworth Hall on Friday evening, which was largely attended by the parents and friends of the members of the class. It was a very clever exhibition on the part of the young people and a credit to the little ones who took part.

The exhibition dances included a Mother Goose Quadrille, with Master Norman Dunbar as Jack and Miss Dorothy Fogg as Jill. Master Leslie Heene as Little Boy Blue and Miss Margaret Perry as Little Bo Peep. They were suitably dressed, Jack in a brown suit and he carried a pail while Jill was in brown gingham with a white apron and hat. Boy Blue was dressed in blue and carried a horn, while Bo Peep looked charming in a pink dress festooned with flowers and she wore a shepherdess hat with a wreath of pink roses and carried a crook. They were very graceful.

The second exhibition was a skirt dance from Faust and it was taken by Miss Isabelle McWilliams who wore a green dress with trimmings of pink roses. She is a very graceful dancer.

Irish Washerwoman was the next and this was taken by Miss Grace Smith, who was prettily dressed for the dance which she executed with a decided charm.

The Grandmother's Minuet was the concluding dance and this was very prettily done by Miss Hazel Wasgatt. She was gowned in an emerald dress of white and looked charming with her powdered hair and high comb.

The grand march was led by Miss Phyllis Coes and Lloyd Shapleigh and they were followed by the class in a graceful and difficult march.

Miss Seavey was assisted in receiving by Misses Ruth Young and Dorothy Fogg and Miss Ethel Lord of Greenland presided at the piano.

### TALKED ON CITY AFFAIRS

At the Middle street chapel on Friday evening the subject under consideration was "Good Citizenship."

Rev. Mr. Thayer, whose interest in everything that interests Portsmouth is a marked feature of his pastorate of the North Congregational church, found in this subject a theme to which he was admirably adapted.

Mayor Adams was also present and spoke with his usual felicity appropriately to his official position in the city government. In the course of his remarks Mr. Thayer entered into a direct application of his subject to our local affairs.

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There was a big liberty party on shore last evening.

Principal Harlan M. Bisbee of Robinson Seminary was called to Rumford, Me., by the death of his stepmother.

It is hoped that the entertainment in aid of the West End mission, to be given next Monday evening at the First church vestry, will be well patronized. Generous gifts which in years past have from time to time made up the deficits have been almost totally lacking the past year, due no doubt to unsettled business conditions. On account of this fact

the mission finds itself nearly \$60 in debt. This mission, started more than twelve years ago, has proved its need by what it has accomplished and we trust its friends will remember it again.

The pastor of the Advent Christian church will begin a course of lectures from a chart forty feet long and seven feet deep, covering the history of this world from the beginning to the present, beginning Sunday, March 14, at 8 p. m.

Sunday at 6.30 p. m. Miss Mary A. Taggart, superintendent of Deaconess work in New England, will give an address at the Methodist church.

STATE COLLEGE

An alarm of fire was sounded from the college buildings Friday morning shortly before 2 o'clock. The recently organized student fire brigade immediately responded, and found the blaze to be in Thompson hall, the main administration building of the college. The fire was discovered by the juniors, Fred O. Chase, 10, and Geo. H. Heller, 10, who room in the tower of that building. The young men were awakened by the smoke, which filled the building. The alarm was at once rung in and a search instituted for the fire, which was discovered in the office of Professor Clarence W. Scott in the south end of the building. By the time the fire brigade had arrived the boys had a stream of water on the fire and it was soon under control. The cause of the fire is unknown, but it evidently started in the basement below Professor Scott's office, and was making rapid progress in the room above when discovered. The brick walls, which separated the adjoining rooms prevented the blaze from spreading to the recitation rooms. The loss was slight and this is in a great measure due to the timely work of the janitors.

The dairy school which opened Jan. 13, came to a close on Friday. In the past most of the young men who have attended a similar course at the college, have come with the sole idea of preparing themselves for creamery buttermakers. The number of creameries in this state has been gradually diminishing, making the demand for buttermakers less. This year, therefore, courses were offered for dairy farmers as well as for creamery buttermakers. All of the students in attendance this year selected the dairy farmer's course, which includes a class room study of such subjects as the growing of profitable crops for the dairy cow, judging, feeding and breeding of dairy cattle, and a study of all factors influencing the quality, cleanliness and wholesomeness of milk from the time it leaves the cow until it reaches the consumer. In the laboratories the students received practice in milk testing, separation, buttermaking and judging of butter and milk. Another feature of the course was the scoring of dairies using the score card of the United States department of agriculture. This feature promises to be especially valuable to the student, as it leads to a close study of barn construction, and sanitary methods of handling milk. Several large dairies in the vicinity of Durham and Dover were scored by the class. Numerous inquiries have been received at the college in regard to the course, and as soon as it is well established and becomes known to the dairy farmers of the state it will undoubtedly prove to be of much value to the individuals who pursue dairy farming as well as to the development of the dairy industry in the state. It is of considerable interest also to note that, although several good positions have been available, both commercial and on the farm, that all of the young men are going back to the home farms, as they believe that by putting into practice some of the ideas gained from the course, that their opportunities will be greater working for themselves than when working for a salary. Prof. Frederick Pasmussen, D. S. A., a graduate of the Iowa State college, had the course under his supervision, and credit is due him for the success that the dairy school attained.

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# A LIVELY SESSION IN LEGISLATURE

CONSIDERABLE BUSINESS DISPOSED OF.—BROWN TAIL MOTH BILL MADE A SPECIAL ORDER FOR TUESDAY.

Concord, March 12.—The legislature transacted the following business to-day:

House—Friday Morning.

The chaplain offered prayer after which speaker Scott rapped to order at 9.30. There was probably a quorum in attendance, but the margin was narrow.

Leaves of absence were granted to Preston of New Hampton and Spalding of Lancaster.

Penitentiary of Plainfield presented petitions for the repeal of the license law which were referred to the committee on liquor laws.

On motion of Abner of Concord business in order at 11 o'clock was made in order at the present time.

Committee Reports.

Incorporations. H. B. 332 to incorporate the Conway Electric Light and Power company. Ought to pass with a referendum amendment by a majority. Ought to pass with an amendment striking out the right of eminent domain, by a minority of the committee. Made a special order for Thursday at 11.05.

Ways and means. An act imposing a tax on legacies and successions. New bill. Ought to pass. Read twice and tabled to print.

Same. An act in amendment of chapter 49 of the laws of 1905, as amended by chapter 68 of the laws of 1907, relating to the tax upon collateral legacies and successions. New bill. Ought to pass. Read twice and tabled to print.

Fisheries and game. H. J. R. 33 to screen the outlet of Montgomery lake in Whitefield. Ought to pass. To appropriations.

Education. H. J. R. 37 for a history of the private schools of New Hampshire. Ought to pass. To appropriations.

Fisheries and game. An act in amendment of the law requiring non residents to obtain a license to hunt New bill. Ought to pass. Read twice and tabled to print.

Judiciary. S. B. 29 to create the office. Ought to pass with amendments. Amendments adopted. Bill ordered to a third reading. Read a third time by title and passed under a suspension of the rules, moved by Wason of Nashua.

Judiciary. An act in amendment of section 19, chapter 256, Public Statutes relating to the salary of the treasurer of Hillsborough county. New bill. Ought to pass. Read twice and tabled to print.

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Same. An act in relation to the office of attorney general. New bill. Ought to pass. Read twice and tabled to print.

Same. H. B. 101 in relation to the duties of the attorney general. Inexpedient to legislate. Duplicate bill.

Same. H. B. 257 for an assistant attorney general. Inexpedient to legislate. Duplicate bill.

Engrossed bills. Forty six bills and joint resolutions correctly engrossed.

Manchester delegation. H. B. 318 in amendment of the charter of the city of Manchester relating to overseers of the poor. Ought to pass in a new draft. Read twice and tabled to print.

Bedlin delegation. H. B. 453 to exempt from taxation hospital property in Berlin. Ought to pass with amendment. Amendment adopted.

Bills Forwarded.

H. B. 571 to ratify and validate the action of the Hillsborough county convention of the house of representatives of the 1907 session. To a third reading.

H. B. 574 to repeal chapter 74 of the session laws of 1907 entitled "An act to prohibit the deposit of sawdust and other sawmill refuse and other waste in Swift river and its tributaries in the town of Tamworth." and to reenact and amend chapter 73 of the session laws of 1905 entitled "An act to prohibit the deposit of sawdust and other sawmill refuse, and other waste in Swift river and its tributaries in the town of Tamworth." Referred to the committee on judiciary.

H. B. 573 to amend chapter 202 session laws of 1903 entitled "An act in relation to the city of Manchester establishing a board of police commissioners for said city." To a third reading.

H. B. 572 authorizing the town of Amherst to appropriate a sum not exceeding three hundred dollars to celebrate the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the incorporation of the town of Amherst. To a third reading.

H. B. 570 regulating the jail and prisoners therein in Hillsborough county. To a third reading.

On motion of Wason of Nashua the house concurred in the senate amendment to H. B. 173 in relation to the manner of conducting caucuses and elections.

H. B. 267 in relation to trolling, in senate new draft, was read twice and referred to the committee on fisheries and game.

S. B. 29 in addition to and in amendment of chapter 10, Public Statutes relating to the commitment and support of insane persons. Read twice and referred to the committee on judiciary.

Bullum of Winchester offered a concurrent resolution for the appointment of a joint special committee of two senators and three representatives to arrange for a permanent exhibition of war portraits and relics, flags, trophies and souvenirs. After an explanation by him the resolution was adopted.

Emerson called from unfinished business. H. B. 259 in relation to the removal of brush; and moved that it be sent back to the committee on forestry.

O'Neil of Walpole objected.

Poole of Jaffrey stated that the purpose of re-reference to be the amendment of the bill in a manner to make it acceptable to all.

The motion prevailed in a viva voce vote. Mr. O'Neil called for a division but the possible lack of a quorum being pelated out, both he and Mr. Emerson withdrew their motions and the bill went back to unfinished business.

On motion of Wason of Nashua, it was voted to meet at 8 o'clock, Monday evening.

On motion of Abner of Concord made in order for the present time, made in order for the present time.

H. J. R. 37 for the suppression of the gypsy and brown tail moths. Called for a special order for next Wednesday at 11.20, but accepted the suggestion of Wason of Nashua to make it on Tuesday instead. The motion was lost on a two vote vote, but the third time it prevailed unanimously after appeal by Mr. Wason and Wagner of Manchester.

H. B. 257 raising the salaries of the deputy secretary of state and deputy

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Deeds Recorded This Week in the Rockingham County Registry

Portsmouth—Horace Walley to McKenney & Littlefield, land on Den-nett street, \$1. John G. Sweetser to Charles A. Davis, Haverhill, Mass., land and buildings on Gosling road, \$1.

Epping—John W. Twombly to John J. Hartmann, both of Boston, land and buildings, \$1. Otis J. Prescott to Lucy O. Thompson, land and buildings, \$1.

Exeter—Elijah B. Woodworth, Boston, et al. to Flossie Lebell, two-thirds lots 31-2 in Prospect Park tract \$1. Mary C. Leavitt, Stoneham, Mass., to last grantee, remainder same lots \$1.

Greenland—Emily J. G. Chapman to Harry E. Murphy, New York, land and buildings, \$1. Eleanor P. Wentworth, East Orange, N. J., to Nathaniel G. Manson, Weston, Mass., land and buildings, \$1.

New Castle—Samuel E. Barrett to United States, rights to lay and maintain water mains, \$1. Emily M. Niles to last grantee, like rights, \$1.

Newmarket—William H. Small et al. to Nellie B. Ladd, Boston, two-thirds certain premises, \$1. Samuel H. Greene to Magdeline Wajda, land and buildings, \$1.

North Hampton—Nellie I. and Caroline C. Bacheelder to Warren C. Lamprey, two-thirds certain land, \$668.87.

Rye—L. B. Parsons to town, land, \$50.

Stratham—George E. Frost, North Hampton, to Sarah J. Wells, half certain land, \$1.

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Have your shoes repaired at John Mott's, 34 Congress street.

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Deputy United States Marshal Johnson was here on business last evening.

The legislature of this year is furnishing more excitement than for a great many years.

Four acts of vaudeville and 3000 feet of latest pictures at Music hall. A big show for 10 cents.

The Club bowling tournament will begin on the Elks alleys next Tuesday. There are six clubs entered.

The Ladies Social Circle of the Universalist church are to hold a Literary Bazaar on March 31 and April 1.

Not much sunshine today, but the mercury marked forty-two degrees at two o'clock under the cloudy sky.

Fill your coal bin early.

There are a great many places where the brown tail moths are very thick about the city and the notice of the city has not been attended to.

The light of a large fire to the southward last night was caused by the burning of several cottages and a pavilion at Long Beach, near Gloucester.

#### JAGS RAILROADED

From Railroad to the Police Station on Friday Evening

On Friday evening the police were called to the railroad yard where two men in charge of a carload of horses were nearly sufficed and having plenty of amusement with their jags. One of the two was disrobed and was engaged in doing a turn at posing as an ancient and modern statuary. After getting on his rag and felt that he was toward along to the coop for the rest of the night.

#### ROOSEVELT'S BUST

Is Missing in the United States Senate Chamber

Washington, March 13.—Former Vice President Fairbanks in making his speech one of the nice little touches surrounding the Senate Chamber. Mr. Roosevelt remains the only vice president not given this honor and seven years have elapsed since he served his country in that capacity.

#### MARINE CORPORAL A SUICIDE

Washington, March 13.—Howard Fisher, a corporal of marines, committed suicide at the marine barracks this morning by shooting after leaving the breakfast table with the words: "Boys, I'm going to leave boys."

Rich! Rich! Rich!—Scratch! Scratch! Scratch! The noise was worse than the rich. Try Lewis's Ointment. It cures piles, eczema, any skin itching. All drug lists sell it.

## DONATIONS FOR ELK'S FAIR

### Many Valuable Articles for the Great Bazaar to be Held in April

The following is the list of donations to date for the great fair of Portsmouth lodge, No. 97, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, to be held at Freeman's hall on April 20, 21, 22 and 23:

Boardman & Norton, \$5 on store.  
Chas. J. Wood, pair pants.  
R. J. Flynn, 100 S. G. Cigars.  
C. E. Simpson, sweater.  
S. A. Schurman & Son, lap robe.  
Gray & Prime, ton of coal.  
H. E. Philbrook & Co., 3 sacks of flour.  
Portsmouth Coal Co., ton of coal.  
Mugmore & Rider Co., set tools and cabinet.  
O. W. Ham, hat rack.  
O. W. Ham, cane table.  
W. E. Paul, bath room mirror.  
Dennett & McCarthy, pair blankets.  
M. Siegel, lady's waist.  
Louis Slosberg, suit case.  
M. P. Alkon, Elk stein.  
H. Persey & Son, umbrella, Elk emblem.  
F. A. Gray & Co., \$10 order on store.  
Pryor & Matthews, carving set.  
W. D. Grace, plate glass mirror.  
Chronicle & Gazette Pub. Co., year's subscription Chronicle.  
A. E. Freeman, order on store \$5.  
H. P. Montgomery, camera.  
John Sanford, pair pants.  
N. H. Beane & Co., bath robe.  
Hoyt & Dow, fountain pen.  
J. Russell, suit clothes.  
Portsmouth Heating & Plumbing Co., set bath room fixtures.  
A. O. Caswell, B. & M. mileage book.  
Portsmouth Brewing Co., dinner set.  
Thomas Loughlin, pair opera glasses.  
Fred W. Peabody, violin and outfit.  
A. P. Wendell & Co., revolver.  
Ernest Robinson, 100 10c cigars.  
Joseph Dondoro, 5 lb box candy.  
F. W. Lydston & Co., Hart, Shaftner & Mark rain coat.

H. P. Payne, barrel flour.  
D. A. Leary, 100 10c cigars.  
Margeson Bros., lamp.  
C. E. Walker & Co., cord hard wood split.  
C. F. Duncan, pair shoes.  
Portsmouth Furniture Co., couch.  
C. A. Towle, \$5 order on store.  
E. J. Nagle, 200 10c cigars.  
Johnson, 100 10c cigars.  
Pettigrew Bros., pair shoes.  
Hodgdon & Kershaw, 50 Blackstone cigars.  
Times Pub. Co., year's subscription to Times.  
John N. Pearson, 2 dressed dolls.  
I. M. St. Clair, dozen cabinet photos.  
John G. Sweetser, lawn mower.  
Washburn & Philbrook, pair shoes.  
Silas Peirce & Co., case of assorted can goods.  
Fred V. Hett, pipe.  
D. J. Regan, 200 10c cigars.  
R. E. Hannaford, fern and jardiniere.  
G. E. Philbrick, safety razor.  
T. J. Foley, 100 10c cigars.  
Geo. B. French Co., Elk shield.  
L. V. Newell & Co., dozen cabinet photos.  
E. P. Lawrence, pair pants.  
Austin Biscuit Co., 10 dozen packages fancy crackers.  
Cater & Benfield, case canned goods.  
John Leary, barrel flour.  
Eldredge Brewing Co., buffet, (silver board).  
C. W. Bass, fancy basket Huyler's candies.  
Portsmouth Gas Co., gas lamp.  
Paul M. Harvey, dozen silver plated knives and forks.  
Charles W. Ham, diamond ring.  
Sherman T. Newton, picture.  
D. H. McIntosh, leather rocker.  
Geo. Griffith, order for 3 shirts.  
Percy Rowe, 100 10c cigars.  
Jos. F. Berry, trunk.  
Chas. Trafton, set military brushes.

turing department, have returned from sick leaves.

#### Coming Fast

Prisoners are coming fast of late. Today sixteen from New York and one from Philadelphia arrived to serve sentences imposed by court martial.

#### WILL CUT DOWN TREES

Gipsy Moth Infestation Causes Action on the Sladen Estate

A very bad infestation of gipsy moths has been found by D. F. Cronin, who is doing the moth suppression at the Sladen estate on Bartlett street. The trees affected are the large willows.

William E. Marvin, Esq., who has charge of the estate, has ordered the trees cut down and burned. This order was issued the more readily as the trees were old and in bad shape.

#### FIRE DRIVER CROMPTON RESIGNS

Herman G. Crompton has resigned as driver of Kearsarge Steam Fire Engine Company, No. 3, to accept another position. Mr. Crompton has been connected with the fire department for about three years as driver and is one of the most efficient men in the service.

#### PURCHASED RANDALL RESIDENCE

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pendergast of Vaughan street will shortly take up a residence on Richards avenue, having recently purchased the dwelling of Joseph B. Randall.

## ANOTHER STEAMBOAT COLLISION

Siasconset, March 13.—A wireless message received here from the United States revenue cutter Gresham told of a collision between the British steamer Vizcaina and the schooner Francis Goodnow, near Nantucket shoals.

The steamer was reported to have escaped unhurt, but it is believed that the schooner has been slightly damaged.

The revenue cutter Gresham, which had been cruising in the vicinity, picked up the Goodnow off Pollock Rip light vessel and towed her to Hyannis.

Vizcaina was bound from Boston to Philadelphia, and the Goodnow was on her way to Calais, Me., from George, S. I.

#### SERIOUSLY ILL AT TILTON

William Kehoe, a veteran of the civil war and a resident of this city, is seriously ill at the Soldiers' Home at Tilton.

#### FUNERAL NOTICE

Funeral services of Mr. Charles William Gillen will be held at the home, No. 22 Woodbury avenue, on Sunday afternoon at two o'clock. Friends invited.

## STEAM ENGINEERING HAS NEW CHIEF

### Cone Gets the Position with the Rank of Rear Admiral

Washington, March 13.—Secretary of the Navy Meyer has appointed Lieutenant Commander H. I. Cone chief of the bureau of steam engineering of the navy department.

He succeeds Capt. Barton, who retired several months ago, since when Rear Admiral Capps, chief of the bureau of construction, has been acting chief of the bureau of steam engineering. The appointment of Lieutenant Commander Cone restores the position to an officer of the line and is pleasing to navy officers.

Lieutenant Commander Cone is the youngest officer ever to have held the responsible place at the head of steam engineering. He is only thirty-six years old, and will have the title of rear admiral. His salary, by reason of the promotion, is increased from \$4400 to \$7500 a year. He is a native of New York, but was appointed from Florida and entered the navy in 1890. He took the torpedo flotilla from Hampton roads to Magdalena bay last April without mishap, and was commended by President Roosevelt for his good work. When the battleship fleet left San Francisco for its tour of the world he was made staff fleet engineer and served in that capacity throughout the voyage. Much of the efficiency of the fleet engineering is attributed to him.

He only recently reached the grade of lieutenant commander, and by this promotion jumps a large number of officers who are senior to him.

## FISHERIES CENSUS

### Government Agent Taking One Now for Portsmouth and Vicinity

Everett I. A. Anderson of Manchester, who has been at Washington the last 9 years in the census bureau, has arrived in Portsmouth to cover this port and vicinity for the census of fishermen which the census bureau is compiling in cooperation with the fisheries bureau.

The work has three classifications. Work with vessels of 500 tons or more are classed as vessel fisheries, these with smaller vessels as shore and boat fisheries, and the third classification is that of the receiving stations, canneries, curing establishments, etc.

It is intended to get a complete list of vessels and owners, how much of the time employed, what and how much caught and of what value, and the number of men employed as helpers and the number of days that each worked. Similar statistics are wanted for the third classification. The figures taken are to be for the year 1908.

Mr. Anderson is a pleasant spoken gentleman, and with his wife is quartered at F. J. Bickford's on Islington street.

#### PERSONALS.

Arthur Davis was down from Dover on Friday.

Mrs. A. T. Pinkham of Dover spent Friday in this city.

Miss Carrie Hayes of Lincoln avenue is ill with the grip.

Winfield S. Gray of State street is critically ill at the Cottage Hospital.

Hon. Calvin Fage and daughter and her son were visitors at the automobile show on Friday.

Mrs. John G. Marshall of Gates street has been called to Portland by the illness of her mother.

Representative John H. Wesley of Dover was calling on Portsmouth friends Friday afternoon.

Ralph McCarthy has taken a position as shipping clerk at the office of the Ellery Twist Drill Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Kehoe have been called to Tilton by the serious illness of William Kehoe at the Soldiers' Home.

Charles W. Ham, Frank W. Knight, W. J. Cater, Hiram Weaver, W. G. Meloon, H. L. Beacham, Charles E. Woods, W. F. Woods and Dr. J. H. Neal, were among the Portsmouth people seen at the Boston automobile show on Friday.

#### POLICE COURT

Three for drunkenness appeared before Judge Simos today.

Edward Fuller pleaded not guilty. His case was continued until Monday and bail set at \$100.

Arthur Goulet of Medford, guilty, released on a promise to leave town.

George Graham, another strange jag, asked the court to allow him to hunt for work. The court allowed him less than thirty minutes to leave the town and he was glad to escape with a suspended sentence.

The crocuses are beginning to bloom.

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## SEASON OF 1908-9

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